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CHAMBERS OF JUDGE EDWARD G. SMITH

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> Re: United States of America v. Bowden Civil Docket # 5:16-cv-4465

Dear Attorney Puleo:

A review of the Court's records shows that a pleading has not been filed in the above-captioned action in response to the complaint as required by Rule 12 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

Accordingly, you may file a request with the Clerk for entry of a default in accordance with Rule 55 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

If the Request for Default is not filed by August 11, 2017, the Court may enter an order dismissing the case against the above-named defendant for lack of prosecution.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Shana Restucci_

Shana Restucci, Civil Deputy Clerk Honorable Edward G. Smith